



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/562,140  
Filing Date: December 23, 2005  
Applicant: Yoshifumi ADACHI et al.  
Group Art Unit: 1713  
Examiner: Karuna P. Reddy  
Title: WATER ABSORBENT RESIN COMPOSITION AND PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF  
Attorney Docket: 12480-000155/US

Customer Service Window  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
Mail Stop **Amendment**

July 16, 2007

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action (hereinafter "Action") mailed on March 14, 2007 (the response being filed on the Monday after a weekend), the due date having been extended one (1) month to July 14, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-referenced application.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	20	-	21	=	0
Independent	4	-	4	=	0

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